

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

A For the 2005 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01/03, 2005, and ending 01/01/2006

B Check if applicable: Address change, Name change, Initial return, Final return, Amended return, Application pending. C Name of organization: ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF SAN DIEGO. D Employer identification number: 95-1648219. E Telephone number: (619) 231-1515. F Accounting method: Cash, Accrual.

Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

H and I are not applicable to section 527 organizations

H(a) Is this a group return for affiliates? Yes No. H(b) If "Yes," enter number of affiliates. H(c) Are all affiliates included? Yes No. H(d) Is this a separate return filed by an organization covered by a group ruling? Yes No.

G Website: WWW.SANDIEGOZOO.ORG

J Organization type (check only one) X 501(c)(3) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Check here if the organization's gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. The organization need not file a return with the IRS, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return. Some states require a complete return.

I Group Exemption Number

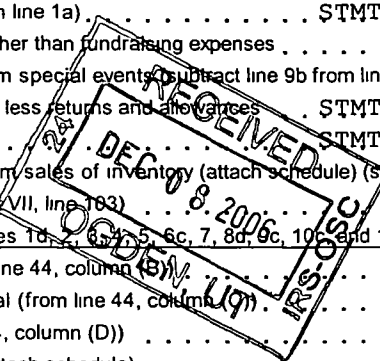
M Check if the organization is not required to attach Sch B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

L Gross receipts Add lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b to line 12 226,385,641.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions.)

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Table with 21 rows and 4 columns: Description, Sub-description, Amount, Total. Rows include Contributions, Program service revenue, Membership dues, Interest on savings, Dividends, Rents, Sales of assets, Special events, Inventory, Other revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets.



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Form 990 (2005)

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